

# AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

## Northern Virginia Chapter Membership Form

For Registrar Use —  
 Date Rec'd: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Date Processed: \_\_\_\_\_

There are two parts to this form. Part I obtains contact information and will be used solely for Chapter business (e.g., Newsletter; notification of special events). Part II is for your direction as to how far to share this information with the Public via the NOVA AGO Website. **Please fill in both Parts.**

### Part I: Contact Information

Indicate One:  
 Renewal \_\_\_\_\_ New Member \_\_\_\_\_ Reinstatement \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer from \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate One: (See other side for descriptions and fee increase for late renewal. New members pay lower amount regardless of date.)

Regular \$88 \_\_\_\_\_ Dual \$35 or Student Dual \$14 - Name of Primary Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

Special \$64 \_\_\_\_\_ Partner \$64 \_\_\_\_\_ Student \$36 \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter Subscriber \$27 \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Academic Degree: \_\_\_\_\_ AGO Certif.: SPC \_\_\_\_\_ CAGO \_\_\_\_\_ ChM \_\_\_\_\_ AAGO \_\_\_\_\_ FAGO \_\_\_\_\_  
Please print full degree without abbreviations


Print degree abbreviation (e.g., PhD, DMA): \_\_\_\_\_ RCO / RCCO (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

**Member Name** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Print Clearly: First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Name or Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP + 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate where you wish to receive your AGO mail: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Music Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Other Employer \_\_\_\_\_

 Indicate how you wish to receive our Newsletter, **Keynotes**: Ground Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
See the Keynotes statement on the reverse side of this page. If neither is checked, default is Email.

**Principal Music Employer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Position** \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP + 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Employer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Position** \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP + 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Part II: Publication of Contact Information

**Substitutes Roster** Members who wish to be listed on the Substitutes Roster must be available for Sunday morning worship services. This benefit is not available to Chapter Subscribers. Please indicate each category that applies to your area of expertise and availability.

Organist \_\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ Organist/Director \_\_\_\_\_ Handbell Dir \_\_\_\_\_ Liturgical \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Liturgical \_\_\_\_\_ Synagogue \_\_\_\_\_ NV \_\_\_\_\_ DC \_\_\_\_\_ MD \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Check all that apply)

Please circle your NOVA AGO Webpage preferences. **(No response will default to all "No".)**

List Name on our Webpage? Yes No List email address on our Webpage? Yes No  
**Substitutes:** List availability on our Webpage? ..... Yes No **Teachers:** List availability on our Webpage? ..... Yes No

Teachers, please indicate areas of instruction: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contribution** (My check includes a contribution to the Northern Virginia chapter of): \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ By signing this form you signify that you accept the AGO Code of Ethics.

Make Check Payable To: Northern Virginia Chapter AGO  
 Mail completed form and check to: Diane M. Kingsbury 12215 Sugar Creek Court Herndon, VA 20170

Information must be received by 31 May 2008 to appear in the Directory.  
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## Membership Categories

**Regular \$88** Open to all organists, choir/music directors, and other individuals who support the mission of the Guild. Membership includes a subscription to *The American Organist* monthly magazine, the monthly Chapter newsletter, and a listing in the annual *TriChapter Directory* distributed in August. Regular members may vote, hold office, and participate in all local, regional, and national AGO activities. In addition, members receive information about the latest job openings and updated salary and fee guidelines for church and synagogue musicians in the Washington, DC area.

**Special/Junior/Senior \$64** Regular Membership benefits are available at a reduced rate for those who are disabled, under 21, or 65 and over.

**Partner \$64** For a second member residing at the same address as a current Regular Member. Both members enjoy all the benefits of Regular Membership, but receive only one copy of *The American Organist* magazine at this address.

**Dual \$35, Student Dual \$14** For members who have a current Primary Chapter Membership with another AGO Chapter but wish to participate in Northern Virginia Chapter meetings and receive the NV Chapter newsletter.

1. Be sure you have indicated your Primary Chapter on the front of this form.
2. Dual members send two forms and two checks - one to your Primary Chapter, and this one for NV Dual Membership.
3. Students, enclose a copy of a valid student ID showing a validation sticker for the current semester to qualify for this rate.

**Student \$36** Full-time students of any age may enjoy the benefits of full membership at a reduced rate. Enclose a copy of a **valid student ID showing a validation sticker for the current semester** to qualify for this rate.

**Chapter Subscriber \$27** For those who are not organists, but wish to be affiliated with a local AGO Chapter, attend Chapter events, and receive the Chapter newsletter. Members in this category do not receive *The American Organist* magazine, nor do they vote, hold office, or receive a listing in the *TriChapter Directory*.

**Reduced Rates Period – Regular \$68, Special \$50, Partner \$50, Student \$28** (*subject to change*)

For NEW members only who join between February 1<sup>st</sup> and March 31<sup>st</sup>. Membership is for the remainder of this current year and must be renewed for the next year during the April-May Renewal Period.

**NOVA AGO Newsletter Keynotes** – Email has become the preferred mode of delivery for the **Keynotes** newsletter due to factors of cost and timeliness. As a service to members, **Keynotes** can be delivered by US Postal Service as long as one realizes that delivery can take up to two weeks after receipt by email. If no selection is made, then email delivery will be assumed. **Keynotes** will not be delivered both by email and US Postal Service.

**New! Make a Tax-Deductible Contribution** – Members can use this space to indicate a donation to the Northern Virginia Chapter of the AGO. Donations will be used for scholarships and/or to enhance the Chapter's programs. Include any donation with your check for yearly dues. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

### **You Are Encouraged to Support the TriChapter Directory**

by purchasing a personal or business advertisement to publicize a concert series at your church, a new instrument, or professional services as a teacher, consultant, recitalist, clinician, composer, editor, technician, builder, *et cetera*.

See the current Directory for sizes and examples. For more information or to place an ad, contact:

Carl Schwartz 301-236-0315 ruxtoncar@aol.org

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